Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Several schemes were prepared by the C.W.P.C. They requested the C.W.P.C. to make estimates as to how to examine the use of Harangi waters profitably.

Sri G. DUGGAPPA.—What was the atchkat as envisaged by the original estimate ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—As I have already said, they contemplated four or five schemes and one scheme purely for irrigation in Coorg, another both in both Coorg and Mysore for irrigation *plus* power project. There are therefore a number of projects prepared by them for the utilisation of Harangi water.

Sri K. M. DEVAYYA.—Have you considered alternative places—Padanahalli, Vudgur and Hardur ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—All the three have been investigated. Vudgur is the lowest one ; Padanahalli is higher and Hardur is still higher. For the economic utilisation of water, Vudgur was not found to be suitable on accound of the low level. Higher site was necessary and because Hardur is found to be the best, it has been selected.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—You were kind enough to say that 58 planters having 1700 acres would be affected. Would the Government think of providing them a similar area where plantations could be done so that they would have their own plantations as before ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—It is not 1700 acres as the Honourable Member put it. It is 1478 acres of coffee, cardamom and orange, all mixed together. It is not as though the entire area is under coffee plantation. As I have already said, 1316 acres belong to 17 planters and 41 planters own 162 acres. There is a lot of coffee land, orange land and cardamom land available in Coorg District itself. Government will be too happy to give them land for caradamom, coffee and also orange plantations if those who lose their lands come forward to plant coffee, cardamom, etc.

CONSTRUCTION OF THE KAMBADAKADU PROJECT.

* *Q.*—46. Sri K. M. DEVIAH (Periyapatna).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether the State Government got the approval of the Central Government for the construction of the Kambadakadu Project ;

(*b*) the height of the proposed project ;

(*c*) the site where the proposed dam is to be put up ;

(details of acreage of the following that would be submerged may be furnished).—

(1) Coffee,

(2) Cardamom,

(3) Orange,
(4) Paddy fields,
(5) Government lands,
(6) Forest Area, and
(7) Names of villages that would go submerged ;

(*d*) the acreage that would be irrigated as a result of this project (District and Talukwar details may be furnished) ?

A.— Srí H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) The project is included in the III Five-Year Plan and the Government of India's clearance is awaited.

(*b*) Height of the dam is :

(i) 80′ above river bed and (ii) 36′ above irrigation sill.

(*c*) the proposed dam site is at Kambadakadu—3 miles from Guddehosur on the Guddehosur-Siddapur Road.

(1) Coffee (2) Cardamom and (3) Orange.	...	255	acres
(4) Paddy fiields	...	1,155	,,
(5) Government lands	...	1,354	,,
(6) Forest area	...	3,400	,,
(7) (i) Nanjarajapatna, (ii) Rangasamudra, (iii) Virupakshapura, (vi) Hosapatna.			

(*d*) The areas proposed to be irrigated are.—

Coorg District:

Somawarpet Taluk,	...	2,500	acres
Mysore and Hassan Districts :			
K. R. Nagar Taluk and Arkalgud Taluk.		20,000	,,
	Total ...	22,500	,,

Sri K. M. DEVAYYA.—What is the total extent of private land that would be submerged ?

†Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—1,410 acres.

Sri K. M. DEVAYYA.—What is the total water to which Government of Mysore is entitled to utilise ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Mysore State is entitled to utilise 45 T. M. C. Ft.

Sri C. J. MUCKKANNAPPA.—Will the Government furnish the full information of this scheme that the apprehension in the minds of several members is removed ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.— I have already given in the course of the debate in this House. If members want any information more, I will try to give them.

UNAUTHORISED CULTIVATION IN THE TANK BED AREA OF KUNTA KERE IN CHEELUR VILLAGE.

*Q.— 55. Sri M. LINGEGOWDA (Kanakapura).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the Minister for P. W. D. inspected Kunta Kere in the Village of Cheelur, during his tour in Kanakapura Taluk on 4th September 1959 ;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that he passed an order on the spot for prosecuting the unauthorised cultivators in the tank bed area of Kunta Kere and for restoring the tank for the benefit of men and cattle ;

(*c*) whether they are aware that unauthorised cultivation in the tank bed has been continued even during the year 1960 ;

(*d*) whether they are also aware that the said tank is not yet restored for the use of people and cattle ?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.— (Minister for Revenue).—

(*a*) Yes, on 4th November 1959.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) Yes.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಲಿಂಗೇಗೌಡ.— ಈ ಹಿಂದೆ ಈ ಕುಂಟ ಕರೆಯನ್ನು P. W. D. ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಸ್ವತಃ ನೋಡಿ ಕೆರೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅಕ್ರಮ ಸಾಗುವಳಿ ಮಾಡತಕ್ಕವರನ್ನು ಪ್ರಾಸೆಕ್ಯೂಟ್ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿ ಬಂದಿದ್ದರೆ ಈಗ ರೆವಿನ್ಯೂ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಹಾಗೆ ಆರ್ಡರಾಗಿಲ್ಲ ವೆಂದು ಹೇಗೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ ?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—Sir, order cannot be passed on the spot by the P. W. D. Minister. If it is to be done, it should be done by the Deputy Commissioner.

Sr H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—Sir, I will answer that question if you will permit me. It is a fact that I inspected that spot. It is a fact there was unauthorised cultivation and it is a fact that I instruted that action might be taken under the rules.—(*Laughter*).

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಲಿಂಗೇಗೌಡ.—ಕೆರೆ ರಿಪೇರಿಯನ್ನು ಇನ್ನೆಷ್ಟು ದಿವಸಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಗಿಸುತ್ತಾ ರೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸಿದರೆ ಸಾಕು.